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SUBJECT: STATUS REPORT FOR MRS. GALLAGHER AND MRS. DYKES

EMBASSY CONTINUES HOPE THAT JUMBLATT INITIATIVE, WHICH CONTINUING ACTIVELY TODAY, COMBINED WITH PRESENT RELATIVE CALM IN CITY MAY BE MOVING THINGS TOWARD RELEASE OF THE TWO USIA OFFICERS. WE DO NOT WANT TO RAISE TOO MUCH HOPE BECAUSE WE SIMPLY DO NOT KNOW HOW KIDNAPPERS ARE REACTING TO WHATEVER ARGUMENTS JUMBLATT IS PRESENTING THEM. AND, PROBABLY EQUALLY IMPORTANT, A NEW BREAKDOWN IN TENSE SECURITY SITUATION COULD DERAIL THINGS AGAIN, AS SEEMS TO HAVE HAPPENED EARLY IN DECEMBER. HOWEVER WE ARE CERTAIN JUMBLATT TRYING TO EFFECT RELEASE DURING CURRENT PERIOD OF RELATIVE CALM AND WE ARE VERY MUCH ON THE ALERT FOR WHATEVER ENSUES.
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